

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE **PATENT**

In re Application of: GOLUBOVIC Confirmation No. 2503

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Application No.: 10/598,953

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Examiner: NOAKES, SUZANNE MARIE

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Customer No.: 30448

For: METHOD OF PREPARING A PROTEIN AGGREGATE AND A PHARMACEUTIC PREPARATION

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

This response is in reply to a restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action dated March 17, 2010, in the above-identified application, with a one month shortened statutory period, making a response due on or before April 17, 2010. This response is timely filed.

**REMARKS**

In the above-identified Office Action, the Examiner has issued a restriction requirement and requires election of one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C. §121:

Group I: Claims 1-7, drawn to a method of preparing a protein aggregate; and

Group II: Claim 8, drawn to a pharmaceutical composition comprising a protein coaggregate.